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 No. 11, Hongkong, 17th June, 1874.  
 OATS taken on STORAGE at Wanchai.  
 Apply to  
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 against, the Portuguese Club, are requested  
 to make immediate payment, or prefer their  
 claims to either of the undersigned, on or be-  
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 which time no claim will be received.

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Hongkong, 15th June, 1874. [139 394]  
**TEN DOLLARS REWARD!**  
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 WANTED.  
 TO ENGAGE temporarily a GENERAL  
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 of this paper.  
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C. M. MOJONY,  
 Assistant Controller.  
 Central Office,  
 Hongkong, 15th June, 1874. [6d 923  
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TCN, 1871-1873

THIRD DIVIDEND has been declared of \$35 per Share, and a bonus of 12 3/4 cts. on the contributions for the year 1871. Dividends payable at the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, will be paid on WEDNESDAY, the 17th instant, and may be obtained on application at the Office of the Society on and after that date.

By order of the Board,  
N. J. EDE,  
Secretary.  
9d, 915 Hongkong, 11th June, 1874.

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**NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.**  
S. S. PEIHO.  
COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES  
MARITIMES.  
NOTICE.  
CONSIGNEES OF Cargo per S. S. GANGE,  
from London, in connection with the  
steamer, are hereby informed that their  
loads are being landed and stored at their risk  
in the Company's Godown, whence delivery  
may be obtained from TUESDAY, the 16th  
inst, at noon.  
OPTIONAL CARGO will be forwarded on, un-  
der irremediable to the company is received from  
the Consignees before noon TO-DAY.

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Principal Agent,  
C. BERTIAND,  
930, Hongkong, 15th June, 1874.  
S. REGALLA, FROM CALOUTTA  
SINGAPORE, AND SAIGON.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above  
Steamer, expired here on Sunday, the  
14th inst., are hereby requested to send in  
their Bills of Lading to be Discharged, for  
their signatures, and to take immediate pos-  
session of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer  
will be at once landed and stored at their risk  
and expense.

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**NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.**

CONSIGNEES of the following cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the undersigned, to counterbalance, and to immediately deliver; as cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense. No fire insurance has been effected.

**O. BERTHAUD,**  
Principal Agent.

*Ex "Ironclady,"*

S. 18 in diamond, 8399, 1 case	Merchandise.
S. 18 in diamond, 3132, 2 cases	do.
H. D. 9485 ... .. 1 case	do.
S. B. H. in triangle, 874, 2 cases	do.

*In Appleby's triangular.*

Hongkong, 12th June, 1874



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posed to raise money merely upon the faith of the Peking Government, it is doubtful whether the investment will command public confidence. At all events, it will be one of the most questionable investments the Chinese Government is probably to try, and all property in money matters as well as in other affairs, and even at the present day, although matters have much improved since the suppression of the Taiping Rebellion, has not so firm a footing as to render it beyond the bounds of possibility that it might be overturned by some other revolution. At present, we admit this does not appear a likely contingency, but it is asserted by men well able to judge that there still lurks in the Empire a large and powerful faction who have not forgotten, how nearly the Taiping Rebellion succeeded, and would be glad to avail themselves of any opportunity, such for example as a war with a foreign nation, for again striking at the existing dynasty, which, if more powerful now than formerly, is scarcely more popular or more conciliatory. In such an event, the chances of obtaining anything from the newly constituted powers would be very small indeed; and, considering how frequent rebellions are in China, it is a contingency not to be overlooked. Even if the Chinese Government fall into serious difficulties on account of internal disturbances, it might be a question whether they would be able to pay heavy interest on a large loan. Ultimately, they might do so, as China has a marvellous power of recovering from difficulties which almost insuperable; but in the meantime great mischief would be done as the failure to pay the interest would lessen the value of the securities, as to entail very serious loss on their holders. If, therefore, the loan spoken of be proposed on the bare security of the Chinese Government, it will be necessary to act with caution; but, on the other hand, if the present idea is the same as one mooted some time ago, namely, that of raising a loan on the security of the duties on foreign trade as collected by the Imperial Customs under foreign inspection, the investment would probably prove a safe and remunerative one, as whatever changes might take place, there is no doubt that the duties would continue to be levied, and foreign nations could always make it a condition of paying them that the liabilities for which they had been made this security should be duly met.

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